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Question Paper Code: U9278

B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

Open Elective

21UCS978 NETWORK SECURITY ESSENTIALS

(Common to ALL branches)

(Regulations 2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Define network security. CO1 - U
2. Define categories of security services. CO1 - U
3. Convert the given Text "VALLIAMMAI" into cipher text using Rail fence Technique. CO2-App
4. Perform encryption and decryption using RSA algorithm for the following. CO2-App
 $p=7, q=11; e=17; m=8$.
5. Define distribution system a wireless network. CO1 - U
6. What services are provided by WSP? CO1 - U
7. Why E-mail compatibility function in PGP needed? CO1 - U
8. What is a replay attack? CO1 - U
9. Describe some countermeasures against worms. CO1 - U
10. What is a digital immune system? CO1 - U

PART – B (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

11. (a) Explain Data Encryption Standard (DES) in detail. How AES is used for encryption/decryption? Discuss with example? CO1 - U (16)
Or
(b) Explain the key management of public key encryption in detail? CO1 - U (16)
12. (a) Encrypt the following using play fair cipher using the keyword MONARCHY. Use X for blank spaces "SWARAJ IS MY BIRTH RIGHT" CO2-App (16)
Or
(b) Write the Extended Euclidean algorithm to solve $\text{gcd}(98, 56)$. CO2-App (16)

13. (a) State and prove the Chinese remainder theorem. What are the last two digits of 4919? CO2-App (16)
- Or
- (b) Examine Elliptic Curve Cryptography to simulate ElGamal algorithm. CO2-App (16)
14. (a) Explain the architecture of IPsec in detail in detail with a neat block diagram CO1 - U (16)
- Or
- (b) Describe PGP cryptographic functions in detail with suitable block diagrams. CO1 - U (16)
15. (a) Analyze the different types of virus in detail. Suggest scenarios for deploying these types in network scenario CO1 - U (16)
- Or
- (b) Explain intrusion detection system (IDS) in detail with suitable diagram CO1 - U (16)